To: Riley, Ellen[riley.ellen@epa.gov]; Atkociunas, Paul[atkociunas.paul@epa.gov]; Tzallas,

Alexander[tzallas.alexander@epa.gov]

From: Beslow, Mike

Sent: Wed 4/23/2014 6:51:08 PM

Subject: FW: BP Whiting Outfall 002 Boom Update - April 23

FYI

Mike Beslow

From: Wallace, Jim L [mailto:Jim.Wallace@bp.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 23, 2014 12:03 PM

To: Beslow, Mike

Cc: Jeremy Thomas (Jeremy.v.thomas@uscg.mil); Wells, Michelle D MSTC; Barnett, Ward;

Blanco, Gloria A

Subject: BP Whiting Outfall 002 Boom Update - April 23

Mike,

I wanted to let you know that we have had an issue with the boom becoming detached and are working to get it reconnected. I will let you know as soon as we have it reconnected.

Jim

From: Wallace, Jim L

Sent: Thursday, April 17, 2014 9:37 AM

To: 'Beslow, Mike'

Cc: Jeremy Thomas (Jeremy.v.thomas@uscg.mil); Wells, Michelle D MSTC; Allendorfer, Robert K.; Barnett,

Ward

Subject: RE: boom

Mike,

We will make sure that we notify you and the USCG about any complications.

Jim

From: Beslow, Mike [mailto:beslow.mike@epa.gov]

Sent: Thursday, April 17, 2014 8:50 AM

To: Wallace, Jim L

Cc: Jeremy Thomas (Jeremy v.thomas@uscg.mil); Wells, Michelle D MSTC

Subject: RE: boom

My only request is that timely notifications are made if any complications are encountered or unanticipated conditions that may release, or threaten additional release to Lake Michigan

Mike Beslow

From: Wallace, Jim L [mailto:Jim.Wallace@bp.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 16, 2014 12:40 PM

To: Beslow, Mike

Cc: Jeremy Thomas (<u>Jeremy.v.thomas@uscg.mil</u>); Wells, Michelle D MSTC **Subject:** RE: boom

Mike,

As of this morning, the boom has been reconnected around the outfall. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Jim Wallace

630-536-3431 office

Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

From: Wallace, Jim L

Sent: Tuesday, April 15, 2014 8:05 PM

To: 'Beslow, Mike'

Cc: Jeremy Thomas (Jeremy.v.thomas@uscg.mil); Wells, Michelle D MSTC

Subject: RE: boom

Mike,

The horseshoe boom around the outfall did break free last night due to the storms. We have not been able to safely deploy our teams to repair the boom because of the choppy water. We do plan to have our teams in the water as soon as it is safe to do so . I will contact you when it has been redeployed.

Since installing the boom as a secondary precaution while 6 separator skimming activities are ongoing, there has been no oil observed at the outfall nor have the absorbent pads/poms shown any oil.

Jim Wallace

From: Beslow, Mike [mailto:beslow.mike@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, April 15, 2014 4:07 PM

To: Wallace, Jim L

Cc: Jeremy Thomas (Jeremy.v.thomas@uscg.mil); Wells, Michelle D MSTC

Subject: boom

Jim-

It is my understanding that the U boom around the outfall broke free last night. Could you provide some additional details?

Thank you,

Mike Beslow

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